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Applicants:

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Assignee:

Rapt, Inc.

Title:

Method and Business Process for the Estimation of Erosion Costs

in Assemble-to-Order Manufacturing Operations

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the December 9, 2005, Final Office Action and March 14, 2006, Advisory Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until April 10, 2006 (April 9, 2006 having been a Sunday), to respond.

Please charge the amount of \$60.00 as set forth in the enclosed transmittal letter.

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